

Senate Transportation and Safety Committee 1

Amendment No. 1 to SB1882

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Signature of Sponsor**

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1882

House Bill No. 1858*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or affix suitable markers acknowledging each branch of the United States armed forces on the segment of State Route 62 in Knox County from the Solway Bridge eastward to such route's intersection with State Route 162 (Pellissippi Parkway), which is currently designated pursuant to Chapter 641 of the Public Acts of 2012 as the "Veterans Memorial Mile". One (1) sign or marker shall include the language "In Honor of United States Army Veterans"; one (1) sign or marker shall include the language "In Honor of United States Marine Corps Veterans"; one (1) sign or marker shall include the language "In Honor of United States Navy Veterans"; one (1) sign or marker shall include the language "In Honor of United States Air Force Veterans"; and one (1) sign or marker shall include the language "In Honor of United States Coast Guard Veterans". Representatives from each branch of the United States military may work with the department of transportation to donate money, trees, shrubs, flowers, or other installations for beautification or decorative purposes along the corridor. No such tree, shrub, flower, or other installation shall obstruct the vision of persons traveling upon or across the segment or median described in this section.

SECTION 2. The erection of such signs or markers shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices and within the state supplemental guidelines, as applicable.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.